

**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
DISTRICT OF NEW MEXICO**

HECTOR GARCIA JR., *personal*
Representative to the estate of Hector Garcia,

Plaintiff,

v.

Civ. No. 21-485 DHU/GJF

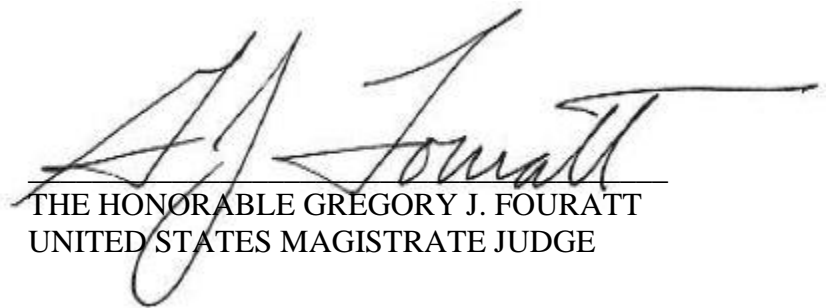
BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS FOR
THE COUNTY OF DOÑA ANA, et al.,

Defendants.

ORDER STAYING COMPLIANCE WITH ORDER COMPELLING DISCOVERY

THIS MATTER is before the Court on Defendant Corizon Health, Inc.'s ("Defendant") "Time-Sensitive Motion for Stay of the Court's Order Compelling Discovery" [ECF 89].¹ The Court finds the stay necessary for the limited purpose of permitting Defendant to preserve its privilege claim pending the presiding judge's decision on Defendant's objections to this Court's order [ECF 88]. The Court expresses no view on the merits of the objections set forth in the Motion.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED that Defendant Corizon's obligation to comply with this Court's order is **STAYED** until the presiding judge's decision is filed.



THE HONORABLE GREGORY J. FOURATT
UNITED STATES MAGISTRATE JUDGE

¹ Because Defendant's compliance deadline is tomorrow, January 13, 2023, the Court could not wait for Plaintiff's response to the motion to stay. In retrospect, to avoid such a compressed schedule, a more prudential sequence would have been for Defendant to move to stay much sooner and then file its objections in a separate document within the fourteen days authorized under Federal Rule of Civil Procedure 72(a).